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GOVERNOR INSISTS ON GOOD ROADS

SAYS IT IS UP TO SALEM AND MARION COUNTY TO SHOW APPRECIATION OF STATE'S GENEROSITY, AND BUILD GOOD ROADS TO STATE INSTITUTIONS.

"When the people of the state of Oregon contribute each year liberally to the maintenance of the state institutions situated in Salem, it looks to me as though the people of Salem and Marion county should show enough consideration for them to build decent roads connecting these institutions with the city, so that whenever any of the contributors are here, they might at least have the privilege of visiting them," said Governor West last evening at the mass meeting held at the capitol building, in discussing the needs of a boulevard connecting the city with the different state institutions.

The governor has been a strong advocate of this boulevard, and has labored hard in favor of it. He has offered the convicts of the state penitentiary to the city and the county to build the boulevard, and shown how it can be built inexpensively. Yet, somehow, neither the city nor county have shown a disposition to grasp the offer. Their failure to do so can be attributed to no other reason than a lack of progressiveness along this line, and, while the governor has never, in the past, said that he did not like their stagnant attitude on the subject he did give his opinion on the subject last evening, and it was in the way of a stinging rebuke—one that should wake them up to their present opportunity to build the boulevard. Should they fail to avail themselves of it, then it is not at all improbable but that the governor may withdraw the convicts from the road work in Marion county, and place them at work in other counties which are more awake, and which are clamoring for them.

Appropriations Large.

"There is appropriated \$1,381,701 at each session for the maintenance of the institutions situated in the city," continued the governor, "and it means much to the prosperity of the city and county.

"It looks to me, when the people are liberal with their appropriations to these institutions, that the people of the city of Salem and Marion county should show them enough consideration to build roads connecting the city with the institutions, so that when they paid a visit to the city they might visit them.

"There is a rock quarry at the feeble minded institute; one at the reform school, and one at the asylum farm. There is plenty of convict labor, and the boulevard can be built inexpensively. The roads leading to the institutions now are bad, and not only that, the distance is great. For instance to go to the feeble minded institute it is necessary to go two miles out of the way. This could be shortened and be made direct by the opening of Winter street.

"Just as soon as the city and county will do their part, I stand ready to do mine, as governor. East State street is now being paved, and so is Asylum avenue, and just as soon as the contracts for paving them were awarded I put a crew of convicts at work on the highway leading from the penitentiary to the asylum, and when the streets are completed it will be completed, and there will be a complete boulevard to these institutions."

Resolutions Passed.

Before the meeting was concluded A. F. Hofer, secretary of the Board of Trade, presented the following resolutions, favoring the construction of the boulevard, and they speak for themselves:

"Whereas, The movement to build the Capital highway from Portland to Salem, with the aid of convict labor, public taxes private contributions and otherwise, will prove of infinite value to Salem as a city, and

"Whereas, The people of Salem are proud of the state's splendid institutions located about the Capital City, and appreciate the great value of having these institutions so located, therefore, be it

"Resolved, That the people of Salem, in mass meeting assembled, that we pledge the state of Oregon to build at an early date a series of macadam roads connecting all these institutions, leading from the city and return, in the form of a high-class boulevard, without any cost whatever to the taxpayers of the state at large."

TACOMA WANTS DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 4.—Preparations are being made today to bring before the leaders of the Democratic national committee the many advantages of Tacoma as a city for holding the national convention of that party next summer. Selection of the convention city will be made at Washington next winter, and it is planned to make an aggressive fight for the attraction, climate and the great concrete stadium being urged as the principal inducements. If every seat in the vast amphitheatre were filled, every one of the 30,000 persons present would be able to see and hear all that was done and said, while the convention was in session. No convention ever has been held in an auditorium as large as this.

Those in charge of the campaign say it would be a liberal education for a majority of the delegates to cross the continent and see the greatness of their country, and that the whole West would be particularly benefited.

MAY SETTLE THE HAYTIAN REVOLUTION

Port Au Prince, Aug. 4.—A possible settlement of the revolutionary disturbances here without more fighting appeared today when the committee of public safety was reorganized so that it includes representatives of the two political factions vying candidates for the presidency vacated by Simon. Simon, with his family, is today aboard a Dutch fruit steamer en route to Jamaica.

German sailors are still guarding their consulate here and representatives of other nations are ready to take part should further disturbances occur.

AND JUSTICE GRINS BEHIND HER BLINDERS

New York, Aug. 4.—Herbert L. Satterlee, son-in-law of J. Pierpont Morgan, confessed today to having violated the Sherman anti-trust law in connection with the operations of the wire trust, of which he was a member, and was fined \$1000. Seven other members of the pool also confessed and were fined.

Charge Mismanagement.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 4.—Alleging gross mismanagement and misappropriation of funds, charges against Mrs. Emma B. Manchester, of Omaha, supreme guardian of the Woodmen's Circle, the ladies' auxiliary of the Woodmen of the World, were filed today by Minneapolis women with the commissioner of insurance of Minnesota.

PRESIDENT WILL VETO BOTH BILLS

Washington, Aug. 4.—Practical confirmation of reports that President Taft will veto the tariff revision bill and the farmers free list bill came this afternoon when Congressman John W. Dwight, whip of the house, after a conference at the executive offices, sent out a hurry call for absent Republicans. The call urges them to be back to vote against the bills, should an attempt be made to pass them over the president's veto.

That the call was made at the suggestion of the president is taken as certain here, and it is believed that the president has decided on the action he will take when the two bills passed by the Democrats and Progressives finally come from conference. In his speech at Winona, Minn., Taft declared the schedule "undefensible" and many Democrats believed he might sign the Underwood bill. The Republican regulars have urged against such action.

That there is real danger that the two measures may be passed over the president's veto is evident from the haste with which Dwight acted today in sending out the calls for absent regulars to return.

A TERRIFIC STORM VISITS GALENA, KANSAS

Galea, Kan., Aug. 4.—A terrific wind and rain storm, which at times approached the proportions of a tornado and cloudburst, inflicted \$500,000 damage today to the zinc and lead mines in this vicinity. Five inches of water fell in a period of two hours. The mines were flooded and railroads washed out. The rain was still falling late this afternoon but in lesser volume.

To Take Up Cotton Bill.

Washington, Aug. 4.—The cotton tariff revision bill is to be taken up in the senate before the adjournment of the present session. This was decided today, after a debate as to the wisdom of further tariff revision at the present session.

By a vote of 38 to 26 a motion by Martin (Democrat, Va.) instructing the finance committee to report on the cotton bill before August 10 was carried.

UNITED STATES STEEL

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Carnegie Got Philanthropic.

A week later, Schwab said, he was advised that Carnegie was reaching the age when he desired to engage in philanthropic work and wanted to get out of business. Carnegie named a price for his plants. Schwab said he then took the price matter up with Morgan. That, he said, ended his connection with the affair. He said he warned Morgan that any consolidation founded on a basis of restriction of output and maintaining prices was bound to fail.

This closed Schwab's testimony and the committee went into executive session.

A RAILROAD M'MINNVILLE TO THE COAST

With W. F. Prier, C. F. Hendrickson and Jay H. Upton as incorporators, and with a capitalization of \$1,000,000, the Portland & West Coast Railroad and Navigation company, of Portland, today filed articles of incorporation with Secretary of State O'cott.

The eastern terminus of the road to be built by the company, according to the articles filed, will be at or near McMinnville, and the western terminus be at or near Bay City, Tillamook county. Spurs and branches are to be built from time to time as the business demands it.

The articles set out that it is the purpose of the company to build and operate railroad and telephone and telegraph lines from the city of McMinnville via Sheridan and Willamina along the course of the Yamhill and the Little Nestucca river to Pacific City and from there to or near Bay City and to project lines from the main line at a point between Tillamook and the heads of the Little Nestucca river to Salmon river and to the Siletz river and from either of the rivers to the Pacific ocean.

The articles also call for the right to build and operate bridges and ferries on streams, where it may be necessary for the building of the line, and the operation of steamboat lines on the Yamhill, Nestucca and Tillamook rivers, and on Tillamook and Nestucca bay and the Pacific ocean.

PROGRESSIVES AND DEMOCRATS WILL PASS IT

Washington, Aug. 4.—After the senate today refused to accept the house amendment to the farmers' free list bill, taking the duty off lemons, the measure was sent to conference. Senators Penrose, Cullom, La Follette, Bailey and Simmons were put on the reference committee for the senate. They are also the conferees on the wool bill, and the conference on the free list measure is to be virtually an extension of the wool conference. Congressman Underwood, chairman of the house ways and means committee, heads the house conferees, and it was practically decided today that Underwood and La Follette would be assigned the real work of making up the compromise measure.

Since it is a coalition of Democrats and Republican progressives that passed the two bills, it is conceded that a compromise measure which they endorse will be accepted by the various factions in the two houses. The stand-pat element will fight the measure, and the stand-pat members

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